

ELM GROVE FIELD

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2001**, upon the application of **J-W OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Zone, Reservoir A and Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Elm Grove Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana.

HOSSTON ZONE, RESERVOIR A

1. To create two (2) additional drilling and production units of approximately 640 acres each for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, such units being shown on the plat submitted with the application and designated HOSS RA SU126 and HOSS RA SU127.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral interest and other property interests within the unit so created, in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well, where applicable, for the proposed units.
4. To authorize the downhole combination of production from the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the wellbore of any well drilled on units HOSS RA SU126 and HOSS RA SU127 proposed herein.
5. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972 as amended and supplemented by the Office of Conservation Order 361-A Series of Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Bossier, Caddo and Webster Parishes, Louisiana, is fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.

LOWER COTTON VALLEY ZONE

1. To create three (3) additional drilling and production units of approximately 640 acres each for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, such units being shown on the plat submitted with the application and designated LCV RA SU60, LCV RA SU61 and LCV RA SU62.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral interest and other property interests within the unit so created, in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.

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3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well, for the proposed units, where applicable.
4. To authorize the downhole combination of production from the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the wellbore of any well drilled on units LCV RA SU60, LCV RA SU61 and LCV RA SU62 proposed herein.
5. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of the Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 18, 1996 as amended and supplemented by the Office of Conservation Order 361-E Series of Orders, to the proposed additional units for the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Bossier, Caddo and Webster Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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